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13 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
14 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, WESTERN DIVISION**

15 IOLA FAVELL, SUE ZARNOWSKI,
16 MARIAH CUMMINGS, and AHMAD
17 MURTADA, *on behalf of themselves*
and all others similarly situated,

18 Plaintiffs,

19 v.

20 UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN
21 CALIFORNIA,

22 Defendant.
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Case No. 2:23-cv-00846-GW-MAR;
Case No. 2:23-cv-03389-GW-MAR

CLASS ACTION

**[PROPOSED] ORDER ENTERING
JOINT SCHEDULE**

[PROPOSED] ORDER

Having reviewed the Joint Scheduling Report submitted by Plaintiffs Iola Favell, Sue Zarnowski, Mariah Cummings, and Ahmad Murtada and Defendant University of Southern California, and good cause appearing therefor, the Court hereby ORDERS that in both Favell I and Favell II, the following case schedule and deadlines apply to certain events related to both Favell I and Favell II:

<u>Event</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
June 25, 2025	USC to provide Plaintiffs with the parameters of the contact information data it has available for the class
July 2, 2025	Plaintiffs to provide USC with Class Notice Proposal
July 9, 2025	Parties to M&C regarding Class Notice Proposal
July 17, 2025	Parties to Submit Class Notice Proposal to Court with any areas of disagreement
July 31, 2025	Hearing on Class Notice Proposals
7 Days following Court's Order Approving Class Notice	USC to provide Class List and available contact information to notice administrator within seven (7) days from an order by the Court directing USC to do so.
August 31, 2025	Class Notice complete
October 1, 2025	Merits expert reports from Plaintiffs (including any conjoint survey back-up data, calculations, and outputs)
October 22, 2025	Deadline to complete depositions regarding any opinions served on 10/1
October 31, 2025	Opt-out deadline
November 7, 2025	Class List to Be Provided to Class Counsel [Defendant oppose this requirement]

December 15, 2025	Defendant expert reports, including rebuttal to opinions served on 10/1 (including any conjoint survey back-up data, calculations, and outputs)
January 15, 2026	Deadline to complete Depositions regarding any opinions served on 12/30
February 5, 2026	Plaintiff expert reports in rebuttal to opinions served on 12/15 (including any conjoint survey back-up data, calculations, and outputs)
February 19, 2026	Deadline to complete Depositions regarding any opinions served on 2/5
March 12, 2026	Close of Discovery
March 26, 2026	Summary Judgment/Rule 702 Motions
April 28, 2026	Oppositions to Summary Judgment/Rule 702 Motions
May 28, 2026	Replies to Summary Judgment/Rule 702 Motions
June 25, 2026	Hearing on Summary Judgment/Merits 702 Motions
July 21, 2026	MILs due (at least 21 days prior to FPTC)
July 21, 2026	Exchange of exhibits, witnesses, jury instructions (at least 21 days prior to FPTC)
July 31, 2026	M&C for preparation of joint trial submission (at least 10 days before FPTC)
August 7, 2026	Oppositions to MILs (at least 10 days before FPTC)
August 21, 2026	Replies to MILs (at least 10 days before FPTC)

The Court acknowledges that nothing in this Joint Scheduling Report prevents any party from seeking to introduce supplemental and/or rebuttal expert testimony as allowed by law and applicable court rules.

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: _____

By: _____
HONORABLE GEORGE H. WU
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE